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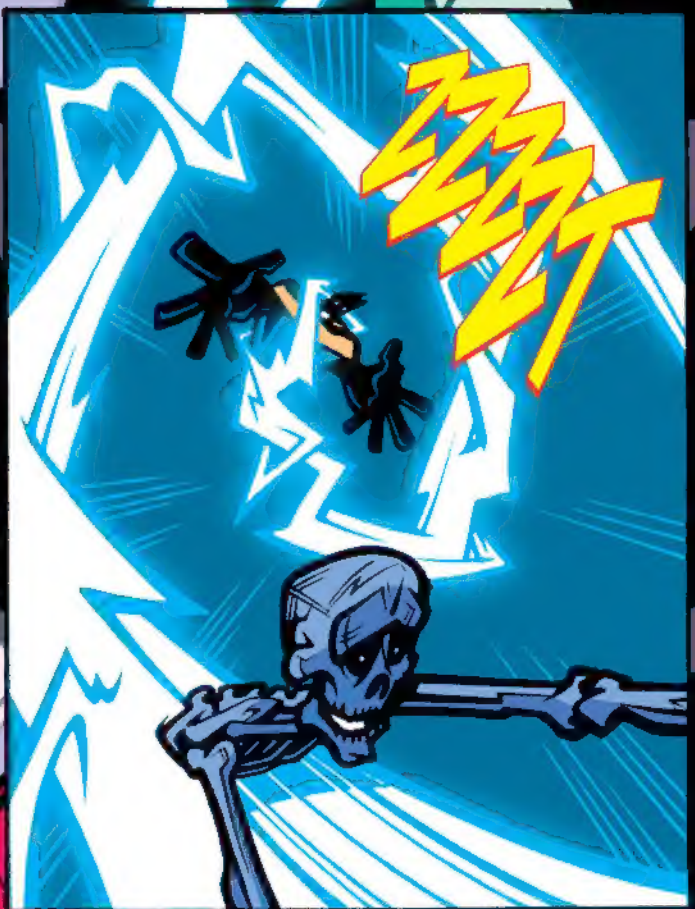
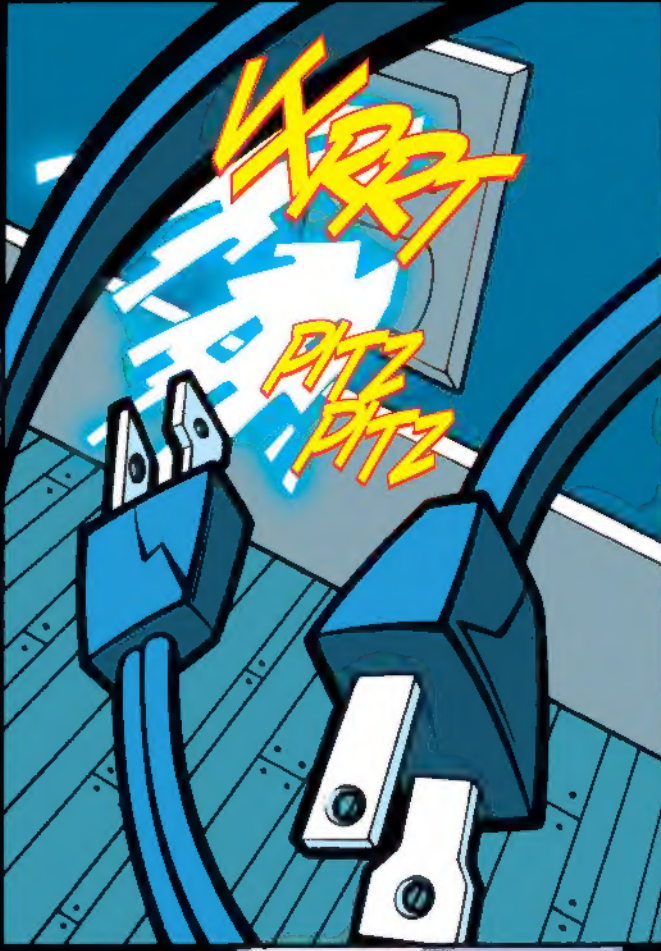
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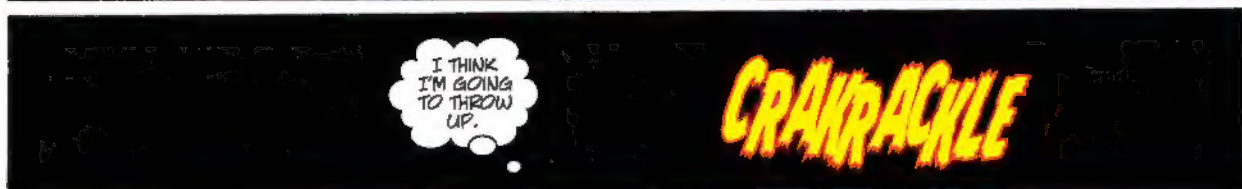






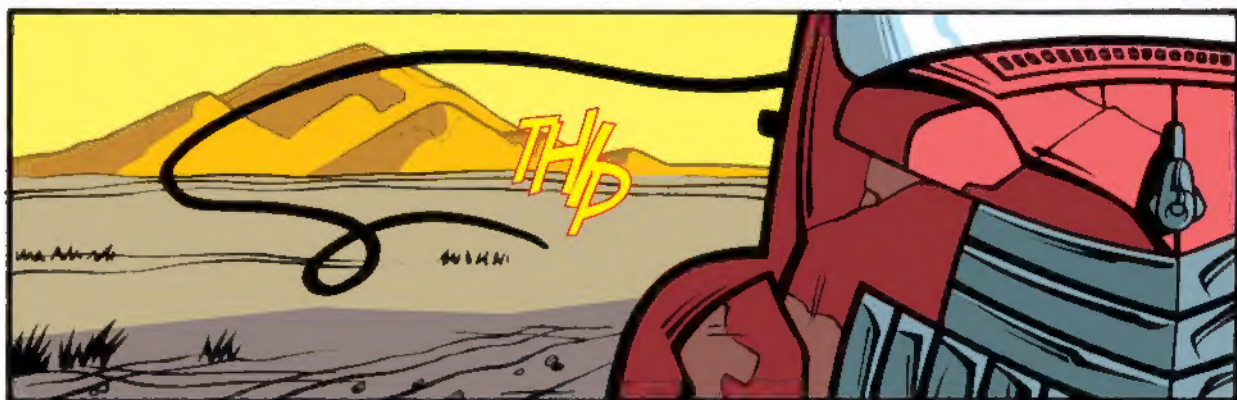
A SHORT TIME LATER...







ERRRCHHT







I WANT YA TA LISTEN AS IF DEM EARS WERE STAPLED TO MY LIPS, BECAUSE I DON'T WANNA GO UP DIS RIVA TWICE, AND WE AIN'T GOT DA TIME TO GO FISHING FOR HAPPINESS. IT IZ WHAT IT IZ AND DATS ALL IT IZ.



HEAVEN, HELL, HADES.... OLYMPUS.....WE ALL PART OF DA SAME CAJUN STEW. JUST DIFFERENT FLAVORS, FIGHTING TA BE HEARD.

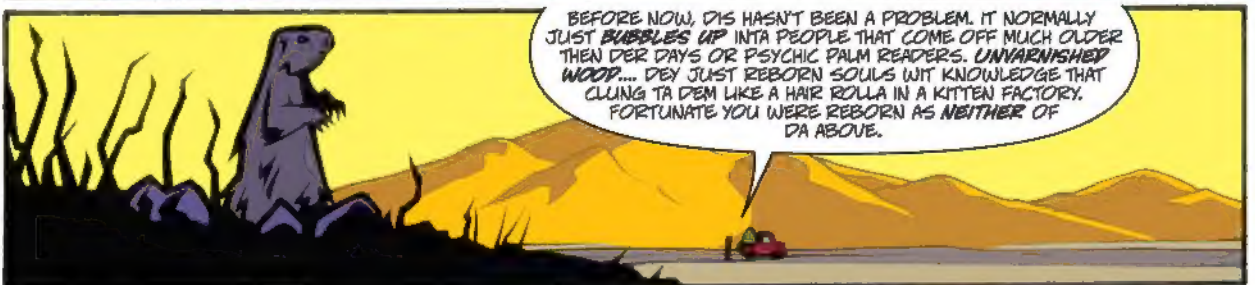
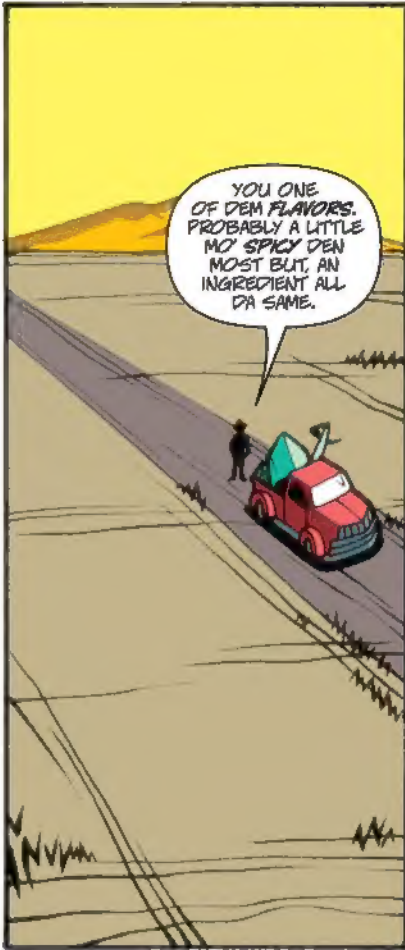
FLASS



CRACKLE

IT'S GETTIN' CLOSER









YOU, AT ONE TIME, WERE REFERRED TO AS A GORGON. THE GORGON *MEPUSA* TO BE EXACT. YOU PRETTY MUCH DIED AZ IT WAS TOLD, AND DAT WAZ DAT.

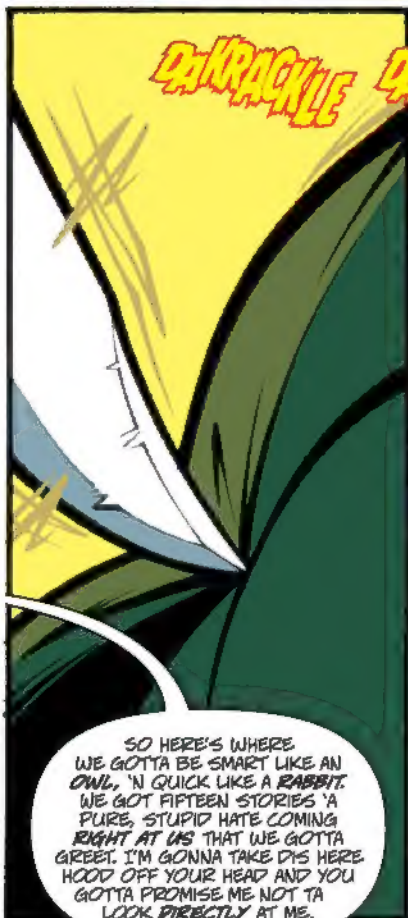


BUT RATHA THAN COMING OUT OF YA MAMA LIKE DA ATTRACTIVE YOUNG LADY DAT YOU WERE... IT TOOK A LITTLE GODLY LIGHTER FLUID TO IGNITE YOUR INNA SELF OUTTA IT'S BEAUTIFUL SHELL..



NOW I KNOW THIS IZ NEITHER HERE NOR THERE.

**DAKRACKLE**



SO HERE'S WHERE WE GOTTA BE SMART LIKE AN OWL, 'N QUICK LIKE A RABBIT. WE GOT FIFTEEN STORIES 'A PURE, STUPID HATE COMING RIGHT AT US THAT WE GOTTA GREET. I'M GONNA TAKE DYS HERE HOOD OFF YOUR HEAD AND YOU GOTTA PROMISE ME NOT TA LOOK DIRECTLY AT ME.



PROMISE ME!

I PROMISE!!!



TAPE DEM PEAELED EYEBALLS ON THE HATE!

**DAKRACKLE SSSSS**

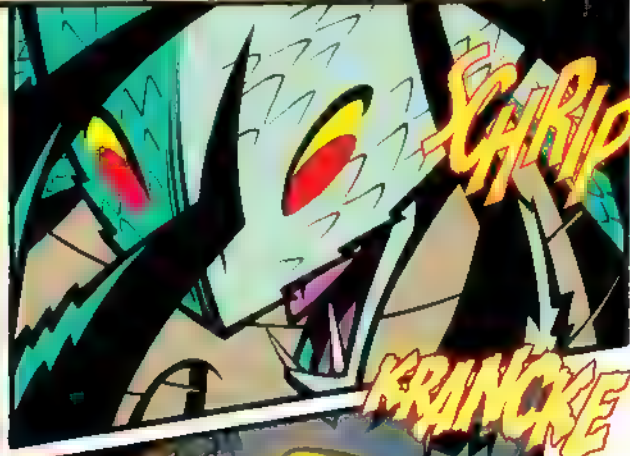






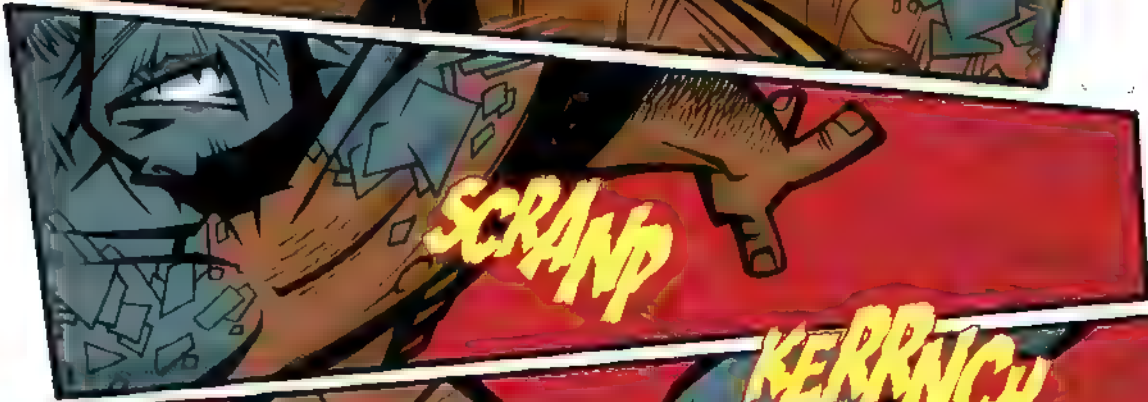
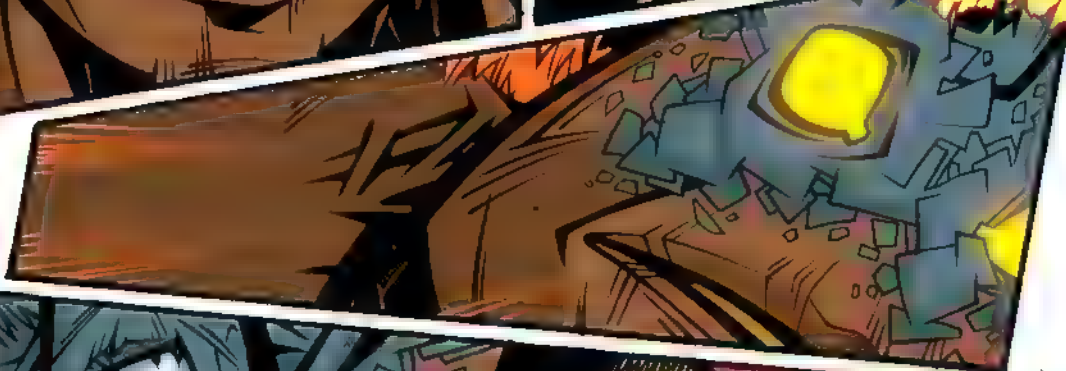


**KRUNKLE**



**SHRIP**

**KRUNCKE**



**SCRAMP**

**KERRNCH**



**DUNITCH**







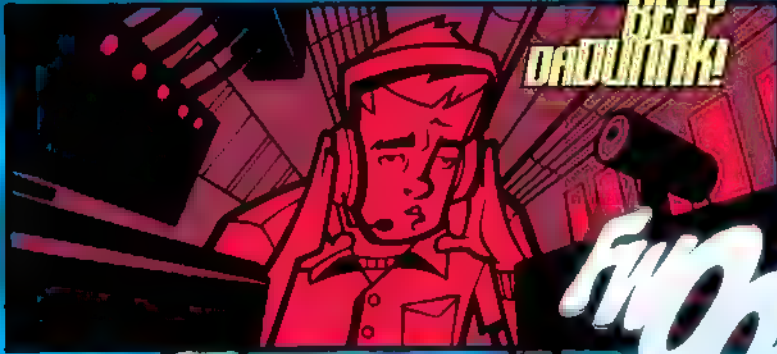


PACIFIC OCEAN, 100 MILES NORTH  
OF THE HAWAIIAN ISLANDS.

BEEP  
DUNK  
BEEP



BEEP  
BEEP  
DUNK!



FWOOSH



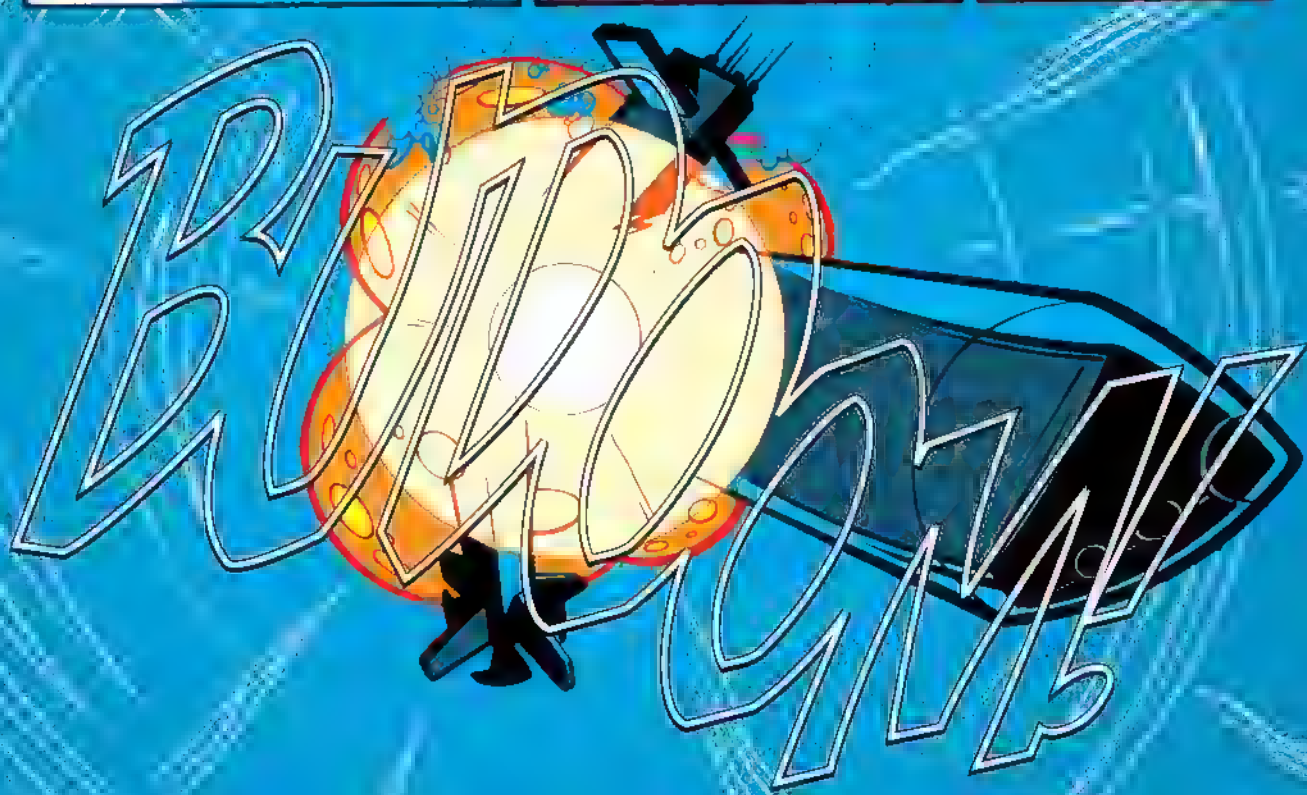
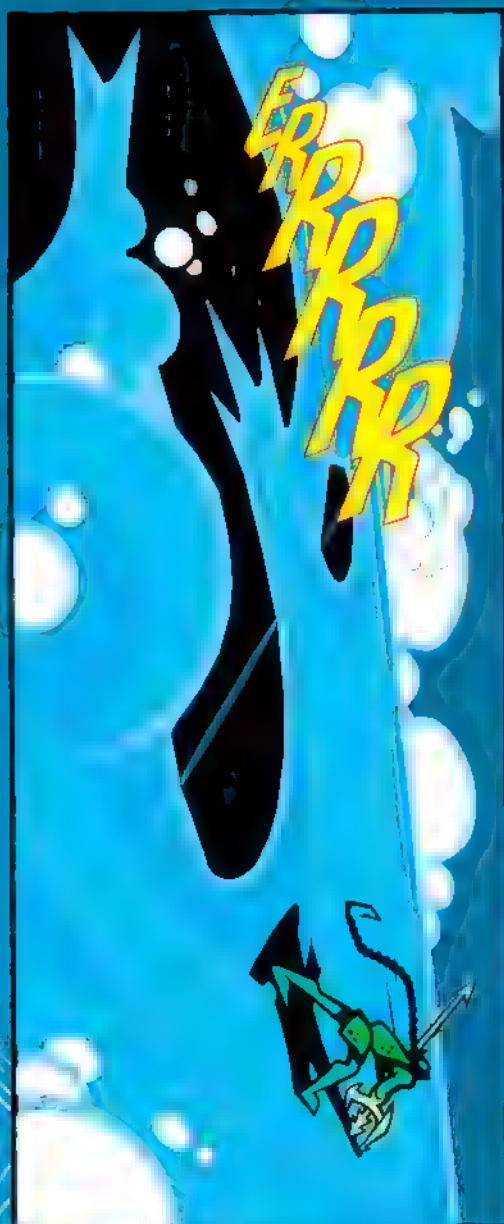
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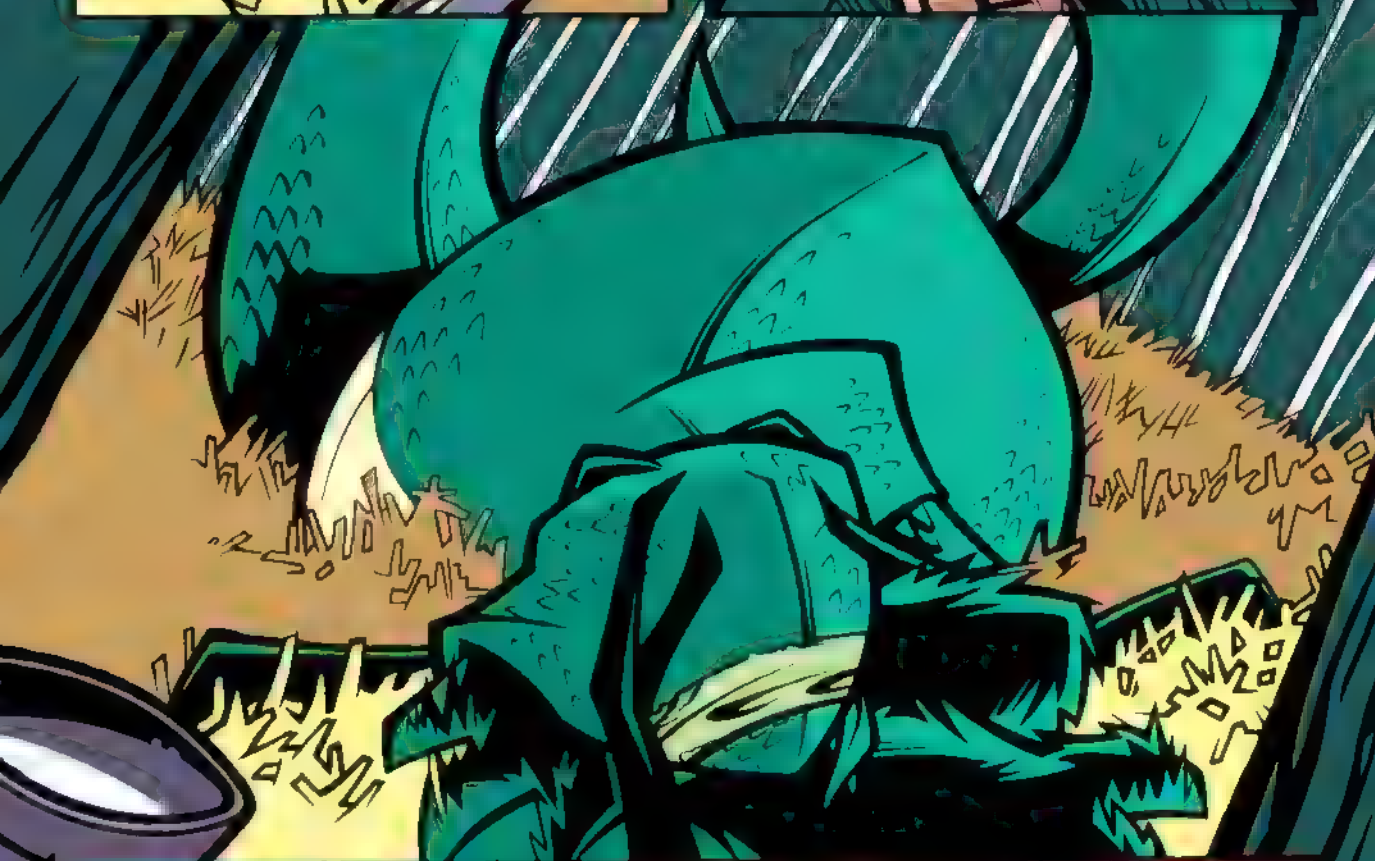
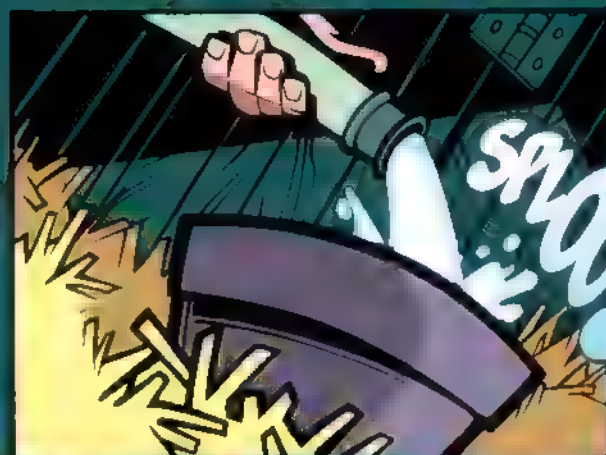
















TAKE IT EASY DERE, KIDDO. YOU BEEN TRU DA RINGGA AND IT'S GONNA TAKE A BIT A TIME BEFORE YER UP TA SNUFF.



IF YA UP FOR TALKING, I'M UP FOR ANSWERING.



MY BODY, IT'S... I'VE BEEN IN AN ACCIDENT.

WELL SORTA, BUT NOT QUITE. IZ GONNA TAKE SOME TIME FER ALL DIS TA SINK IN. WHATEVER YOU DO, DONT TAKE DAT BLINDFOLD OFF, NO WAY WOULD DAT BE GOOD.

THAT THING OUT THERE, THE ONE THAT KILLED JER. I HAD SOMETHING TO DO WITH IT TURNING TO STONE, DIDNT I?

MORE DEN SOME'IN, YOUSE DA WHOLE PURPOSE. HONEY, I SEE TRYING TA BREAK IT TO YA GENTLY IS HELPING ABOUT AZ MUCH AZ BRUSHING DA TEETH OF A HUNGRY GATOR.







DON'T  
YOU GET  
IT?

KAKRENNCH  
KRUNK



I GET IT, YOU  
CRAZY BASTARD!  
I GET IT! IT'S JUST  
A BIT MUCH TO  
SWALLOW ALL IN  
ONE PAX.



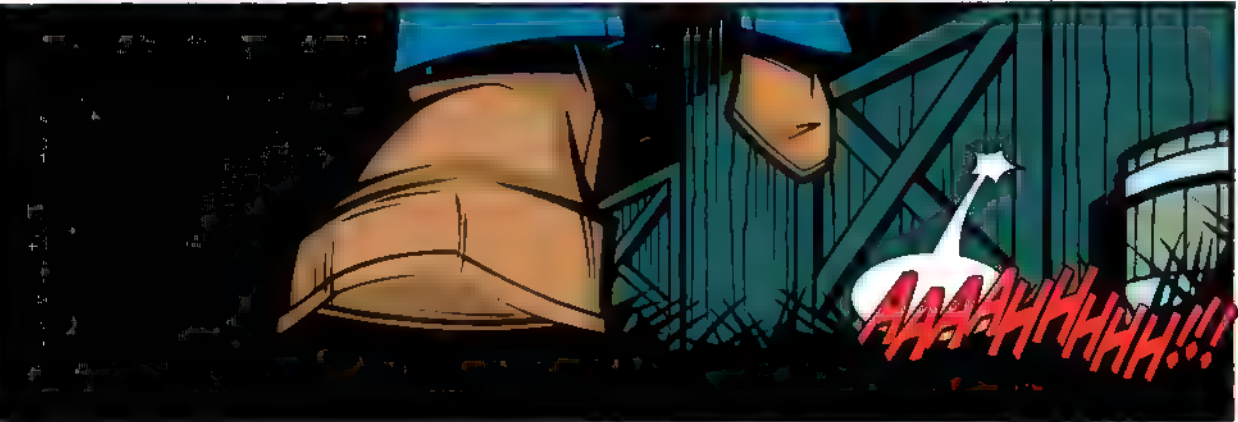
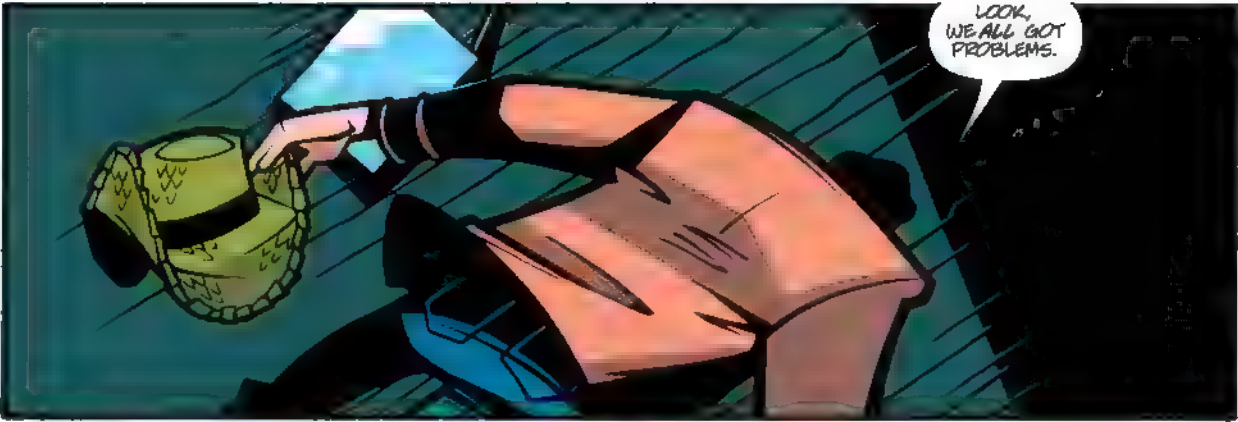
AFRAID YOUR  
CURRENT SITUATION IZ  
ABOUT AS PERMANENT AS  
DEY GET. YOU GONNA BE  
LIKE DAT TILL YOU PUNCH  
OUT. YOU'LL HAVE PLENTY A  
TIME TA LET IT SETTLE,  
DAT'S FO' SURE.

WHO ARE  
YOU AND WHY  
DO YOU KNOW  
ALL OF THIS?



YOU THINK DAT  
YOU'RE THE ONLY ONE  
TO ESCAPE THE RIVER  
STYX? YOU JUST BE  
HAPPY DAT ONLY ONE  
VOICE BE IN YER HEAD.  
DAT FO' SURE.









STOP!

PLEASE  
STOP.

I WANT  
TO KILL  
THEM.

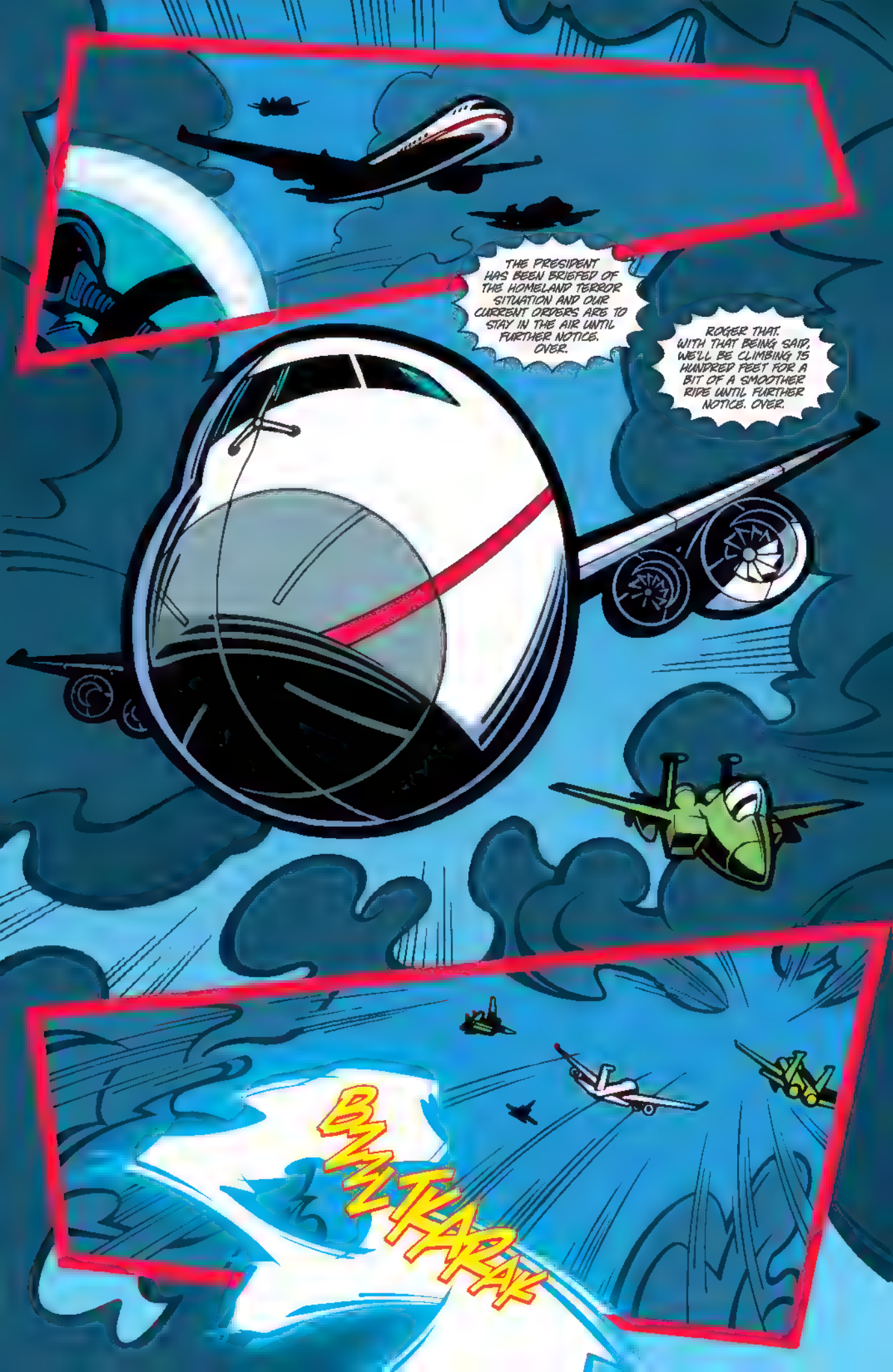
ALL  
THREE OF  
THEM.

I WANT  
TO MAKE THEM  
SUFFER LIKE THEY  
HAVE MADE ME  
SUFFER.

CAN YOU  
HELP ME DO  
THAT?

I CAN  
HELP.

BY THE  
WAY, CALL ME  
RUSE.



THE PRESIDENT  
HAS BEEN BRIEFED OF  
THE HOMELAND TERROR  
SITUATION AND OUR  
CURRENT ORDERS ARE TO  
STAY IN THE AIR UNTIL  
FURTHER NOTICE.  
OVER.

ROGER THAT.  
WITH THAT BEING SAID,  
WE'LL BE CLIMBING 15  
HUNDRED FEET FOR A  
BIT OF A SMOOTHER  
RIDE UNTIL FURTHER  
NOTICE. OVER.



**BZZTKARAK**





HOLY SHIT!  
UFO AT 12 O'CLOCK  
JUST FLEW  
THROUGH .... I'M  
ON IT.

I'VE ALMOST  
GOT YOU,  
SON-OF-A-...

HUHP?





- TO BE CONCLUDED -





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